

## Thank God for Zoom!

A year ago, I was in Morocco enjoying a circle dancing holiday under blue skies and in warm sunshine. Memories of holding hands as we danced, giving each other a hug and groups of people close together all come flooding back.

What a difference in a year!

Lying in the sun on an hotel roof in Turandant I first heard of Zoom! One of my fellow dancers said, 'I'm just going to Zoom my husband'. 'What's Zoom I asked?!'

She explained and I downloaded it then and there. Little did I know that I had just received a gift that was most precious.

We need to thank God every day for this gift!

In the midst of uncertainty and doubt, restrictions and unanswered questions we have this technology which helps us to continue our lives in many ways.

It has given us a freedom to communicate in a way that we would never have dreamed a year ago. It is a timely gift- a light- given in a period where there is so much darkness.

We can hold services, prayer meetings, house groups and all the meetings we usually do.

It is not the same but we are very much in touch with most of the people we know and love.

Some are excluded we know but many have learned new skills in their desire to be in touch.

It has also given us the ability to join in events we would not normally have attended.

So I give thanks to God for this wonderful tool he has given us. I pray that we use it in the best ways we can to show God's love in this dark world.

Thought for the  
**Week**  
- a spiritual smorgasbord  
from our preachers

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